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1. REFTEL INDICATES HONEYWELL-BULL INTEREST IN MAINTAINING CII AGREEMENTS WITH SIEMENS AND PHILIPS IN UNIDATA, ALTHOUGH ON A NEW BASIS. TO OUR KNOWLEDGE, NEITHER SIEMENS NOR PHILIPS HAS OFFICIALLY STATED ITS REACTION TO THE PROPOSED CII-HONEYWELL/BULL MERGER, OR ITS INTENTION WITH REGARD TO ANY HONEYWELL-BULL OFFERS FOR CONTINUED PARTICIPATION IN UNIDATA, OR POSSIBILITY OF UNIDATA COOPERATING

WITH OTHER U.S. FIRMS (E.G., UNIVAC) AS REPORTED BY SOME SOURCES.

2. EMBASSIES ARE REQUESTED TO: A) OBTAIN SIEMENS/PHILIPS' AND HOST GOVERNMENTS' VIEWS REGARDING FUTURE OF UNIDATA AND POSSIBLE COOPERATIVE ARRANGEMENTS AND GROUPINGS THAT MAY EMERGE ON THE EUROPEAN COMPUTER SCENE IN THE WAKE OF THE CII-HONEYWELL/BULL MERGER; B) OBTAIN CLARIFICATION OF THE SYSTEMS COMPATIBILITY PROBLEM MENTIONED IN REFTEL; AND C) PROVIDE ASSESSMENT OF POSSIBLE IMPACT OF ANTICIPATED DEVELOPMENTS ON EC COMPUTER POLICY. KISSINGER

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